

**Technical Work Group
of the Imperial Valley Study Group
Minutes of May 19, 2005 Meeting**

In attendance: David Barajas/Miriam Ojeda, Mark Etherton, IID; John Kyei, CA ISO; Robert Jackson, Dave Miller, SDG&E; Phillip Leung, Mohan Kondragunta, SCE; Dave Olsen, CEERT/CEC; The meeting convened at 3:00 PM and adjourned at 4:05 PM. Minutes were recorded by Dave Olsen.

The following in-person meetings and one conference call are scheduled:

June 3, 9:00-2:30, at Sempra/San Diego, room to be confirmed. In-person meeting. If David Barajas cannot attend (it's IID's day off), he and Mark will communicate to enable Mark to speak for IID on the study issues on the agenda.

June 15, 3:00-4:30 PM, phone conference call. Merrie Lamb of SDG&E will send the domestic US and Mexico call-in numbers.

June 30, 9:00-12:30 PM), at Sempra/San Diego. In-person meeting, before the Full Study Group meeting 1:00-5:00 PM that afternoon. This may be our last meeting. We will finalize our recommended routing for presentation to the IVSG Steering Committee at this meeting. The detailed write-up of our study will then be completed in July-August, for inclusion in the IVSG recommended development plan, which is now due September 30, 2005.

Please make sure these dates are on your calendars. There will not be any meetings or calls the weeks of May 23, June 6 or June 20.

Thermal overloads. SDG&E, SCE, the ISO and IID (Mark Etherton) will review the overloads on their systems, e.g., to make sure the ratings are correct, and will identify mitigation measures as appropriate.

Stability. CalEnergy has not completed a generator model for Salton Sea Unit 6; this is holding things up. Mark has a model for the summer cases up and running. He would like SCE and SDG&E to look at the dyd files. It was agreed that extensive stability studies were not necessary for a conceptual-level study. We will write our report in a way that qualifies the results appropriately, given the limited stability analysis. Instead, Mark will compile and circulate a list of a few critical outages to look at. Everyone will review and OK this list, sending any suggested additions/deletions to Mark. He will work to have the summer cases to discuss at our June 3 meeting.

Post-Transient. Robert Jackson will request authorization of the resources to have SDG&E perform post-transient analysis of the final alternatives. We may have to make other arrangements to have these studies performed.